



MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Sachi A. Hamai, Executive Officer-  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors  
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At its meeting held September 5, 2006, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Knabe made the following statement:

“On September 5, 2000, Los Angeles County Sheriff’s Deputy Michael Schaap was shot and injured while on routine patrol with his partner, Deputy Timberlake. Deputy Schaap attempted to stop a van for vehicle code violations when a suspect, who has been identified by the Los Angeles Sheriff Department as Emigdio Preciado, opened fire from inside the van with an assault rifle. Multiple rounds were fired and Deputy Schaap was struck in the head for which he underwent surgery to remove bullet fragments from his brain. Deputy Schaap spent one year in recovery, and has since returned to work in a limited capacity. Emigdio Preciado is still outstanding.

“It is vitally important for the County of Los Angeles to send a message that we, as a society, will do whatever it takes to protect our law enforcement personnel from heinous crimes. In order to bring Emigdio Preciado to justice, and make it clear we will not tolerate anyone shooting at police officers, investigators believe it would be appropriate to reestablish the reward for information leading to his arrest.”

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Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Knabe, seconded by Supervisor Antonovich, unanimously carried, the Board reestablished the \$10,000 reward for any information leading to the arrest and conviction of Emigdio Preciado, who is responsible for the shooting and injuring of Los Angeles County Sheriff's Deputy Michael Schaap on September 5, 2000, when he attempted to stop a van for vehicle code violations at the intersection of Mulberry and Gunn in the unincorporated area of Whittier.

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